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TRANSGENIC ANIMALS**

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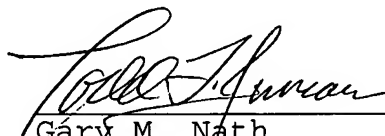
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- 2) Information Disclosure Statement; and
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**INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT**

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Pursuant to Applicant's duty of disclosure under 37 C.F.R. §§1.56 and 1.97-1.99, the documents listed on the attached Form PTO-1449 are being brought to the attention of the Examiner in charge of the above-identified application. No fee is required for this submission because it is submitted before the mailing date of a first Office Action on the merits.

Copies of the documents are not provided as allowed under 37 C.F.R. § 1.98(d) since present application is a reissue of U.S. Patent No. 6,118,045 that issued on September 12, 2000 and was filed July 29, 1996 as U.S. application no. 08/700,760. The information disclosure statement submitted in the above identified application complies with C.F.R. § 1.98(a) through (c). The Examiner is respectfully requested to cite the documents listed on the attached Form PTO-1449 in the next Office Action. In so doing,

the Examiner is respectfully requested to initial in the space adjacent to the listing of each document on the Form PTO-1449, and return a copy of the initialed Form PTO-1449 with the next communication to Applicants, to confirm that these documents have been considered by the Examiner and made of record in this application.

If the Examiner has any questions or wishes to discuss this application, kindly telephone the undersigned at the below-listed number.

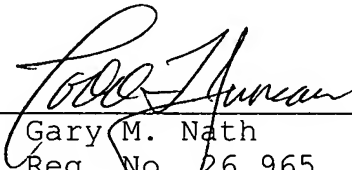
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